

THE WORST IS NOW THOUGHT TO BE OVER.

Trinity River Receding at Dallas, But Losses Will Aggregate Millions.

Dallas, Texas, May 28.—Trinity river fell four feet during the night, and it is thought the worst has passed. There are no street lights or electric lights of any kind other than those furnished by a few private plants. It is stated that perhaps the dynamo would be set in motion to-night.

The city water supply is cut off and the citizens depend on artesian wells and cisterns for a sufficient amount for necessities. This perhaps furnishes the greatest menace to the people of the city, as without sewerage the health authorities fear

the effect of the public health. It is believed, however, that the pumps will be started during the day and water again forced through the mains. In the mean time the city is in no condition to cope with fire should one of any magnitude occur.

The monetary damage in the city of Dallas alone will reach \$1,000,000. This does not include the damage sustained by the railroads leading into the city. This, it is estimated, will reach another million, while the damage sustained by farmers in the flood district remains incalculable.

The work of relief is being prosecuted vigorously by the authorities.

CERTAIN RESULTS.

Many a Hopkinsville Citizen Knows How Sure They Are.

Nothing uncertain about the work of Doan's Kidney Pills in Hopkinsville. There is plenty of positive proof of this. Such evidence should convince the most skeptical sufferer. Read the following statement:

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TWO MEMBERS

Named for the State Board of Embalming by Governor Willson.

Frankfort, Ky., May 26.—Governor Willson this morning appointed John Allison, of Covington, and Henry Gayle, of Columbus, as members of the State Board of Embalming. The Governor appointed the members from a list of six names which were submitted to him by the Funeral Directors' Association of Kentucky.

Doan's Regulets cure constipation without griping, nausea, nor any weakening effect. Ask your druggist for them. 25 cents per box.

FOURTEEN DROWNED

In Oklahoma When Water Covers Haven.

Oklahoma City, May 28.—A special from Colbert, Okla., near the Texas line, says fourteen persons, who had taken refuge on an island formed between the new and old channels of Red river, are reported to have been drowned late yesterday when flood waters covered the place where they had taken refuge. The report lacks verification.

Three children of J. H. Roberts, ferryman, were carried to death when the river carried away a tree in which they had taken refuge south of Lawton. Will and Newton Stidham were drowned near Henrietta while attempting to leave their home in a skiff.

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NEST BURNS AT STEEPLE'S TOP.

Little Bird That Built at Foot of Cross Gives West Side An Awful Scare.

FIRE AT ST. BONIFACE.

Firemen Clamber to Top of 200-Foot Spire to Find No Danger Exists.

Evansville, May 27.—A bird's nest built at the foot of the cross that tops one of the towering steeples on St. Boniface church, in the West End, caught fire by some unknown cause last night and created no end of excitement. During the ten minutes the nest was burning a general fire alarm was turned in, thousands of people rushed to the scene when the blaze at the very top of the steeple was observed and many fell on their knees and prayed that the fine church, which was struck by lightning and burned several years ago, might be saved. And all this on account of a little bird's nest high up in the air at the foot of the cross.

The little blaze was first seen by F. W. Kingsberry, who lives across the street from the church. It was but a bare tongue of flame. Firemen from No. 7 hose house responded to a telephone alarm and then turned in a general alarm when the location of the fire was known. Assistant Chief Dick Witte headed the fire fighters. Rev. Father Hillebrand, priest to the parish, was in the street to assist in any way he could.

Carrying a Babcock extinguisher, Assistant Chief Witte, Firemen Tom Winfrey, Joseph Klinger and Tom Coughland from No. 7 and firemen from No. 5 climbed the ladder leading to the belfry. They clambered around the bells and then entered the steeple. Up and up they went, with nothing but a rude wooden ladder to hold to. They soon passed the ventilators and entered the last flight that led to the top of the steeple fifty feet over their heads. At places there was barely room to squeeze through. The heat was intense. The slate covered steeple, baked all day in the hot sun, was like an oven. Sweat poured off the firemen, who could hardly breathe. "It was the most trying climb I ever had in my life, said Witte. "I thought I would never get it out to the top of the steeple and when I got there I wondered how on earth I would ever hold out to get back

down."

Finally reaching the very top of the steeple, 200 feet in the air, no fire was to be discovered inside. By the time the exhausted firemen reached the fresh air again, the fire was out. The blaze in the inflammable bird's nest could not communicate fire to the metal cross or the slate roof. The nest burned up and the fire went out of its own accord.

The mother bird that built the nest may this morning view the ruins with the thought that another nest can be quickly built, but as for the parish folk at St. Boniface—well, they are not anxious for another such scare.

For any pain, from top to toe, from any cause, apply Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Pain can't stay where it is used.

NORTH CAROLINA

Has Gone Dry By Overwhelming Majority.

Raleigh, N.C., May 26.—North Carolina was carried for State prohibition to-day by a majority that is estimated at from 40,000 to 42,000 on reports and estimates received up to midnight.

The election passed off very quietly, no disturbance of any moment being reported. The total vote cast in the State was about 172,000.

Dyspepsia is America's curse. Burdock Blood Bitters conquers dyspepsia every time. It drives out impurities, tones the stomach, restores perfect digestion, normal weight, and good health.

KILLED BY FALL.

Well Known Slaughterhouse Physician Lost Balance On a Ladder.

Slaughterhouse, May 26.—Dr. L. A. Archibald, one of the most widely known physicians of Webster county, fell from a ladder in his stable at his residence in this place Monday, and sustained injuries from which he died within a very short time.

Dr. Archibald was 60 years of age, and for many years a leading force in civic, social and religious affairs of Slaughterhouse. He was a successful physician and enjoyed a lucrative practice.

Killed By Lightning.

Bowling Green, Ky., May 26.—Sim Lewis was instantly killed by lightning yesterday near Oakland. He and Henry Patterson, a negro boy, were at work cultivating corn, when a thunderstorm came up. They took shelter under a tree, when the lightning struck the tree, instantly killing Lewis and badly shocking the boy, who was unconscious for some time.

Lewis was a deaf mute, but well known and highly respected at Oakland.

Star Theater, June 1

"The Goebel Tragedy and Trial of Caleb Powers."

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AURORA WHISTLE WORKS, DEPT. K., AURORA, ILL.

Miss Farley to Wed. Paducah, Ky., May 26.—Miss Eudora Farley, daughter of Capt. Ed. Farley, State treasurer, will be married at St. Francis de Sales church, in this city, June 9, to Mr. James Clemeat Langdon, of Rock Island, Ill. The bans were pronounced yesterday.

Summer Rates To Cerulean And Dawson. Beginning Saturday May 16, 1908 and on every Saturday and Sunday thereafter up to and including Sunday October 18th, 1908, the Illinois Central will sell tickets to Cerulean and Dawson Springs, Ky., and return for all trains Saturday and Sunday morning at rate of one fare for the round trip.

"The Goebel Tragedy and Trials of Caleb Powers" at Star Theater Monday, June 1. G. R. Newman, Agt.